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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 17, 1876.

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PREFERRED SPECIALS.

NOAH'S ARK, 205 W. FIFTH.
Wanted to buy furniture, stores, counters, carpets. Highest cash price paid. my13-6*

CIGARS.

G. W. ENGLE, wholesale dealer in cheap cigars and chewing tobacco, 35 Vine street. ap13-5-W-11

LADIES' ATTENTION!

Kid or pebble goat side-lace custom made shoes, \$1.50, at F. X. HODGSON'S, 343 Central avenue, corner George street. my17-4t

CLOTHES WRINGERS

For Sale and Repaired. F. TETTENBORN, 319 W. Fifth street. 148-11-W-8M

DETECT.

S. B. SMITH, D.D.S., successor to H. R. Smith, M.D., northwest corner Vine and Seventh streets, entrance on Vine street. ap13-16-F, M & W

TABBY'S AVENUE BAZAR.

Centennial Picnic Hats, entirely new; call and see them. Tabby's Hats at cost, to close the business. Side Floating to order. 333 Central avenue, opposite Ninth st. my12-26t

PROPER FITTING SHIRTS.

I make a specialty of cutting shirts to order, guaranteeing a perfect fitting garment. Make samples which desired. E. T. SPRAGUE, S. E. corner Fourth and Vine streets, up stairs. ap13-5m

TAXIDERMIST.

Birds and animals stuffed to order. J. W. HORTON, 225 Fifth street, near Plum. Pets a specialty. Canaries mounted in glass shade for 25. ap13-26t

M. BAUMGARTEN.

(Late with Landy), Crayon and Water-color Artist, No. 30 West Fourth street. Life size Portraits in Crayon and Water-colors made from small pictures of deceased relatives. ap13-26t

SOCIETY NOTICES.

ODD-FELLOWS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION. Assessment due on the death of Brother J. F. Winkelman, of No. 143. JOHN W. PAUL, Secretary. my13-3t-W, M & F

FOUND.

FOUND—CIGARS—Two good cigars for a nickel, also a cor. Main and Orchard st. my10-11

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—WASHING—Ironing, polishing and dyeing at 174 York street. 11*

WANTED—BUY YOUR HATS OF

MARTIN, at 49 W. Fifth st. 1713-14

WANTED—PUPILS—To learn crayon

portrait drawing. M. BAUMGARTEN (late with Landy), 30 W. Fourth street. my16-6t

WANTED—OLD GOLD—Cash paid for

watches, diamonds, old gold and silver. A. A. EYSTER, Jeweler, 349 W. Fifth. my13-3*

LAST EDITION.

For the next twenty-four hours probably fair with increased cloudiness and threatening weather.

THE DEMOCRACY.

District Organizations.

PROCEEDINGS AT EXPOSITION HALL.

The city has for the last thirty-six hours been alive with Democrats eager to know what the final result of to-day's Convention would be. The fight between Allen and Thurman is the most bitter ever known in the history of the party, and until the actual count is made it will be impossible to tell how the Ohio Democracy stands. Exposition Hall is admirably arranged for the Convention, and, thanks to Messrs. O'Neil and Shank, the delegates will have the most comfortable time they ever had at a State Convention.

The accommodations are ample and perfect, and the decorations in most excellent taste. Never did Exposition Hall look more inviting, and never was a better fight carried on with the personal comfort of the combatants more thoroughly looked after.

The districts met at the various places designated, this morning, and agreed upon the following names to be reported to the Convention:

FIRST DISTRICT.
Vice President, Jas. J. Faran; Credentials, Robert Johnson; Resolutions, James B. Gordon; Permanent Organization, W. H. Brown; to select State Central Committee, W. J. O'Neil.

To suggest names for Delegates at Large to St. Louis, Judge Collins.

Delegates to St. Louis, W. J. O'Neil, Judge Collins; Alternates, Senator Wallace, O'Neil, J. D. Dicks.

SECOND DISTRICT.
Vice President, Tom Stephens; Credentials, J. C. Riley; Resolutions, Hon. S. F. Cary; Permanent Organization, P. J. Hogan; to select State Central Committee, W. J. O'Neil.

Delegates to St. Louis Convention, St. L. Hoffman and Hon. Thomas Paxton.

THIRD DISTRICT.
Delegates to St. Louis, Colonel W. H. Howard, A. J. Glaze (Allen).

Vice President, Peter Murphy; Resolutions, O. T. Gunning; Credentials, G. V. Stoley; to select State Central Committee, Captain Rooney; Permanent Organization, J. B. Owens.

FOURTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, E. M. Green of Shelby; Credentials, F. C. LaBlond; Resolutions, C. N. Larrison; Permanent Organization, J. J. Moore; to select Chairman of Committee, W. H. Clymer.

Delegates to St. Louis, H. M. Carter and F. C. LaBlond (Allen and Thurman).

FIFTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Henry Thornton of

Wood; Credentials, J. H. Jones of Ottawa; Resolutions, Frank H. Hard of Lucas; Permanent Organization, Geo. Wm. Sheridan of Williams; to select State Central Committee, Wm. Meeks of Fulton.

Delegates to St. Louis, Gen. Steadman of Lucas, Wm. Sheridan of Williams (Allen).

SEVENTH DISTRICT.
Delegates to St. Louis, J. A. Nippen and Col. Higgins (Allen).

Vice President, C. E. Harmon; Credentials, J. Muller; Resolutions, Col. Lowden.

EIGHTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, J. J. Smith of Clarke; Permanent Organization, Hon. J. E. Pearson of Miami; Resolutions, Geo. Arthur of Clarke; Credentials, George Lincoln of Madison; State Convention, Dr. J. W. Ayres of Champaign.

Delegates to St. Louis, W. V. Marcus of Logan; Geo. Lincoln of Madison. Alternates, Jas. Johnson of Clarke; Hon. J. Pearson of Miami.

NINTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Dr. J. M. Christian of Marion; Credentials, Phillip Snider of Union; Resolutions, George W. Morgan of Knox; Rules and Order of Business, Permanent Organization, Geo. T. E. Powell of Delaware; to select State Central Committee, F. M. Childs of Hardin.

TENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Hon. W. P. Noble of Seneca; Credentials, James Daughless of Erie; Resolutions, Hon. E. F. Dickinson of Sandusky; Permanent Organization, Geo. F. Pendleton of Hancock; State Central Committee, Chas. Cross of Erie.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Dr. A. B. Jones of Scioto; Credentials, Cal. S. Weldy of Hooking; Resolutions, Hon. Ralph Lee of Lawrence; Permanent Organization, Rules, Geo. Irving Dungan of Jackson; to select State Central Committee, J. W. Bowen of Vinton.

TWELFTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Charles Foreman of Fairfield; Credentials, C. F. Krimmel of Pickaway; Charles Martin of Franklin; Permanent Organization, Rules and Order, Wm. E. Finck of Perry; to select State Central Committee, Francis Collins of Franklin.

Delegates to National Convention, Judge E. F. Bingham of Franklin, Chas. F. Bailey of Fairfield; Alternates, H. L. P. Baber of Franklin, Gen. Newton Scholten of Fairfield.

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Thomas Campbell of Coshocton; Credentials, Wm. Willk of Tuscarawas; Resolutions, Henry Blaud of Muskingum; State Central Committee, John O'Neil of Muskingum; Organization, S. M. Hunter of Licking.

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, J. Y. Glessner of Richland; Credentials, W. Stillwell of Times; Resolutions, M. R. Dicks of Highland; Organization, Rules and Order, C. Fulton of Crawford; State Central Committee, T. J. White of Crawford.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, John Schreiner of Meigs; Credentials, Dr. G. W. Stewart of Monroe; Resolutions, David Okey of Monroe; Permanent Organization, Rules and Order, Colonel R. A. Constable of Athens; to select State Central Committee, Captain D. F. Sayre of Washington.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Dr. John Cook of Bellair; Credentials, John Kirkpatrick of Guernsey; Resolutions, J. M. Amos of Noble; Permanent Organization, C. N. Allen, of Jefferson; to select State Central Committee, C. C. Kelley, of Belmont.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.
Delegates to St. Louis Convention, R. S. Shields of Kenton, W. L. Brown of Youngstown, Alternates, W. S. Potts of Lisbon, E. E. Farrel of Carrollton.

Vice President, Judge Clark of Columbiana; Credentials, J. B. Lawler; Resolutions, Judge Baff of Stark; Permanent Organization, Judge Thoman of Carroll.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT.
Vice President, D. H. Page of Lake; Credentials, Henry A. Phipps of Ashland; Resolutions, E. O. Rote of Ashland; Permanent Organization and Rules of Order, W. A. Burchard of Trumbull; to select State Central Committee, A. K. Price of Trumbull.

TWENTIETH DISTRICT.
Vice President, Dr. A. P. Koowilton; Committee on Credentials, H. H. Hatch; Committee on Resolutions, John W. Halsey; Committee on Permanent Organization, Rules and Order, Gen. J. W. Fitch; to select State Central Committee, J. M. McKinstry.

Temporary Organization.
Promptly at 11 o'clock Hon. A. T. Walling called the meeting to order, and after the usual delays of seating delegates, he nominated for Temporary Chairman of the Convention Hon. John A. Shank. He was elected with cheers.

On motion, Henry B. Kelley of Allen, Mr. Warwick of Warren, and J. B. Foraker of Hamilton were elected Secretaries.

Hon. John A. Shank, on being introduced, stepped to the front of the platform and made a very handsome and well-timed but short speech of acceptance.

He said: "I thank you, gentlemen of the Convention, for the honor conferred upon me, and it shall be my endeavor to faithfully discharge the duty assigned me. Let your action to-day, gentlemen, be worthy of the glorious record of the great Democratic party. It is not my place to indicate what your action shall be; that must be left to your wise deliberations. For the first time the Queen City of the West has been selected as the place to meet in Convention, and in the name of her citizens I welcome you with open arms to hospitable homes. Welcome, thrice welcome, to Cincinnati. Gentlemen, I thank you."

Hon. A. T. Walling then moved that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Wm. J. O'Neil and John W. Shank, of the Central Committee, for the elegant arrangements that they have made for the Convention at Exposition Hall.

The motion was seconded and unanimously carried with hearty enthusiasm.

Colonel R. M. Moore, of the Fifteenth District, arose and moved that a resolution be passed as the feeling of the Convention, that no steps should be taken by this assemblage of Democrats from the "steps we took in 1875."

This was received with hisses from all parts of the house, a demonstration which caused the gallant Colonel to sink back in his seat with confusion. By a

resolution afterwards adopted unanimously, it was ruled that all resolutions pertaining to platform be referred to the proper committee without debate.

The various districts reported the nominations made in caucus (which are printed above) and all were declared elected.

The Convention then adjourned, to meet at 2 o'clock.

Recess Notes.
During recess the Committee on Resolutions met and is now at work with no prospect at this writing of very soon arriving at anything like a harmonious report. The "no step backwards" men are rampant, while the friends of Mr. Thurman and the more moderate of the supporters of Allen are endeavoring to arrive at a satisfactory result on the basis of demanding a repeal of the Resumption Act, the abolition of the national bank circulation, and the substitution of a direct government issue redeemable in gold.

A leading member of the Sixth District delegation remarked this morning that the Enquirer did more injury to the Democratic party than all the Republican papers in the State.

The knowing ones now insist that on a motion to instruct, Allen will have a small majority, but Thurman's backers still refuse to concede the point.

Hon. J. S. Gordon, who, by the way, is beginning to be pretty generally spoken of as Mr. Sayre's successor in Congress from the First District, got in some good licks for Thurman this morning.

Next to the financial issue the question of being able to finish up to-day is uppermost in the minds of a good many delegates.

The Committee on Permanent Organization met at the Grand Hotel and unanimously decided to report as follows for permanent officers of the Convention:

President—Hon. Geo. H. Pendleton, of Hamilton.

Secretary—James W. Newman, of Scioto.

An Associate Secretary was nominated from each Congressional District of the State.

The Committee on Resolutions are in a row on the question of turning Gen. Sam. F. Cary out of the Committee, they having learned that he is not entitled to a seat as delegate.

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Afternoon Session.
On the reassembling of the Convention the Chair announced that the report of the Committee on Credentials was ready, which report was submitted, the material part of which is as follows:

Your Committee on Credentials beg leave to offer the following report:

"That they have examined the credentials of the several delegates, and have found the same correct, and the delegations full except in the matter of the contest between John Ritt and Samuel F. Cary, in Millers Creek Township, Hamilton County. It is the opinion of your Committee that John Ritt was duly elected, and as such is entitled to represent the district."

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Base-ball.
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ST. LOUIS, May 17.—The fourth game of base-ball, played in this city yesterday between the Cincinnati Red and St. Louis' crack club, was the most interesting and one-sided game of the season. The holding of the Browns was, as usual, almost perfect, and from the start they led the score. The weather was very hot, but fully five thousand persons witnessed the game. The score by innings is as follows:

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Browns..... 0 1 3 1 0 0 0 0 0
Reds..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Minor Mentions.
By American Press Association to the STAR.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The Chamber of Commerce Delegation, from Cincinnati, on the Bridge Question, have all left this city for home.

MONTGOMERY, May 17.—The Republican State Convention adjourned at 1 o'clock this morning. The delegates to the Cincinnati Convention received no instructions, but the delegation is understood to favor Bristol.

Forty-fourth Congress—1st Session.
WASHINGTON, May 16.—The Committee on Finance reported adversely to the Senate bill to provide for a safe and elastic currency, to redeem the interest on the National debt, and for the speedy appreciation of the proper currency to a gold value, etc., and the Committee was discharged from its further consideration. The Judiciary Committee reported, favorably on the bill to amend certain sections of the act to enforce the rights of citizens in the different States, and it was placed on the calendar. The Senate resumed the consideration of the articles of Impeachment, but adjourned without any definite action.

HOUSE.
WASHINGTON, May 16.—The report of the Committee on Public Printing was called up, and resolutions were adopted for the criminal prosecution, by the District authorities, of Congressional Printer A. Clapp, who is charged in the report with fraud and corruption in his official management; and instructing the Committee on Appropriations to embody in the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill sections changing the present system of Government printing. The Post-office Appropriation Bill was then considered; the section fixing the compensation for railroads for carrying the mails at 5 mills per linear foot at the rate of twenty-five miles per hour, and 6 mills when run over twenty-five miles per hour, was adopted; and other sections fixing the compensation of Postmasters were also disposed of.

LATEST LOCAL.
The well-known club, "Our Social," will give their first picnic of the season at Mt. Lookout on Thursday May 18.

JAMES McHARRY and others filed a petition with the Clerk of the United States Court asking that George A. Mooney be declared a bankrupt.

THOMAS ALEXANDER, indicted by the last Grand Jury for passing counterfeit money, pleaded guilty and was sent to jail for twenty-four hours and was fined \$100.

JOHN CARSON and C. Mahle were arrested for selling postage stamps which were stolen from the United States, and were arraigned before Commissioner Hooper. Their examination will come off to-morrow.

MR. ROBERT BELL, an old-time Cincinnati, but at present a prosperous merchant in Zanesville, is a delegate to the Convention, and stopping at the Crawford House. He has been greeted by a host of old friends, all of whom are delighted to see him.

THE CINCINNATI Light Guards are laying in supplies for their march to Philadelphia at their Commissary and Quartermaster Department, 251 Walnut street. On Saturday we are to have a grand dress parade, after which the "boys" are to have a dinner at the Merchants' Exchange, spending Sunday at "Roman Camp," and starting early on Monday on their tramp.

P. GILSEY, a dealer in boots, shoes, hats, etc., at 35 Pearl street, was arrested and locked up in Hammond-street Station on the charge of having bought a lot of shoes belonging to Wm. Palmer, and stolen by Eugene Love, who was sentenced in the Police Court to-day to thirty days in the Work-house and a fine of \$100. Six pairs of the missing shoes were found on Gilsey's premises.

THE FOREMAN of the Athens County delegation is at the Hammond-street Station, suffering severely from the effects of a big spree. He wants to get out immediately, as he is under the impression that he is confined in a cell adjoining one in which a small-pox patient is lying. The man whom he considers to be afflicted with the small-pox is only

FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

California Crooked Whisky.

By American Press Association to the STAR.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The final report of Supervisor Hawley relative to the operation of the Internal Revenue force in California has been received by Commissioner Pratt. The report is accompanied by the resignation of Mr. Hawley, who is now on his way home in the East. No appointment will be made to fill the vacancy unless Congress fails to abolish the office of Supervisor. Mr. Hawley's report is full of important information, and shows that the Government has, in the last five years, been defrauded of nearly \$2,000,000 by illicit distillers in California. When investigations were first started in San Francisco a strong pressure was brought to bear upon the President and Secretary of the State by the most prominent politicians in California to have them stopped, but without success.

The Cabinet Meeting.
yesterday was unusually long, lasting three hours. The riot in Louisiana was under discussion, besides other business. A dispatch from the Acting Governor of Louisiana was read, stating that a serious and bloody riot had occurred in East Feliciana Parish, and that further bloodshed was imminent; also, that on account of there being no appropriation to arm the State militia the State Government is powerless to preserve the peace. He further says that General Augur refused to permit United States troops to interfere. He asks that instructions be sent to General Augur to preserve peace.

It was the general opinion of the Cabinet that the State Government should have at least made an effort to preserve peace; that an appeal to citizens to turn out, and aid the State officers, would have tested the question as to whether the good citizens, in preserving the peace or by refusing to do so, encouraged the rioters to further deeds of violence. It was claimed that if the State Government had pursued such a course and failed, there would have been less objection to interference of the Federal forces. However, in view of the prospect of immediate further rioting, it was deemed for the best interest of all concerned, to instruct General Augur to preserve the peace, and accordingly, soon after the adjournment of the Cabinet, a dispatch was sent him to that effect.

FOREIGN.
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LONDON, May 17.—The Times' money article says Erie and Illinois shares have declined. Canadian shares have fallen one-half to one per cent. United States bonds are firmer.

GREAT BRITAIN REFUSES HER ASSENT.
It is rumored that Great Britain has refused her assent to the proposed Conference of the Signatory Powers.

PARIS, May 17.—A dispatch received here from Salonica states that the Porte has redressed the recent outrages by the execution of six of the assassins. Two hundred and sixteen persons are under arrest charged with complicity in the murders.

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